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PART 1

16th Night (1/2)

*note - In the Lunar Calendar, the 15th of the month is the night of the full moon. The 16th would be when the moon begins to get shadowed again.



**Please read bubbles from right to left.*

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■ 猪熊忍 ■
Inokuma Shinobu



Pls. mop
the floor,
I'll take
care of the
register

Kyo-
shi
-kun

Yeah,
he's smi-
ling a little
more these
days

Master,
it seems
Kyoshi is a
little more
happy
now

Ah,
alright



He's
got only 20.
A college
student
He's got
his whole
life ahead
of him. I'm
sure he'll
be fine

After
an ordeal
like that...
I was afraid
he might
have...



Hey!

Kyoshi!



It's
March
right
now

Kawa-
hara
Kyo-
shi,
20
years
old



Thank
you for
coming



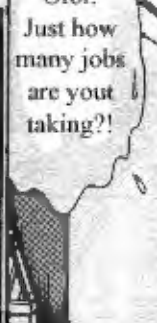
I really,
really
want to
see you
...

I keep
thinking
about
you...

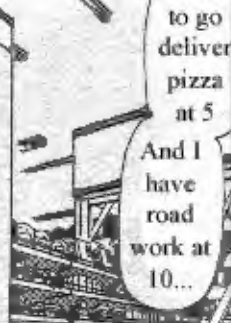
Sakae
-chan
...

Sakae
-chan
...





Oioi!
Just how
many jobs
are you
taking?!



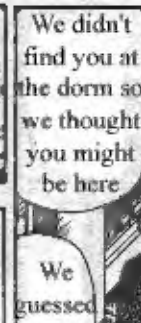
I have
to go
deliver
pizza
at 5
And I
have
road
work at
10...



4 'o
clock

When
do you
get off?

Then...
What do
you say we
go Kara-
oke?



We didn't
find you at
the dorm so
we thought
you might
be here

We
guessed
right!



Oh,
Shige
and Na-
kayama-
chan



If I don't
work
myself to
exhaustion
...

I'll
...

I've
had trou-
ble sleep-
ing...



We only
get to relax
once in a
while



It's
spring
break
and all

Come
on...
please
...?



Karaoke
has nothing
to do with
the weather

Now
that isn't
true



Let's go!
C'mon the
weather
is great
outside!



Bye



...
more
work



What
thing
?



Sorry, I
can't go.
I still have
something
else to do
later



I can't believe that she's no longer in this world...

Even now... I'm still in denial



Sorry for the wait. your pizza is here

Obviously...

If it wasn't for that accident, it wouldn't be just a year and a half



I thought we'd be together forever...



Great job.

I really thought it was so...

Thanks, see ya



He probably has trouble trying to forget

That can't be helped... It hasn't even been a month since the incident...

Un... but doing that rather makes me want to cry...

I felt like he's forcing himself to smile ...



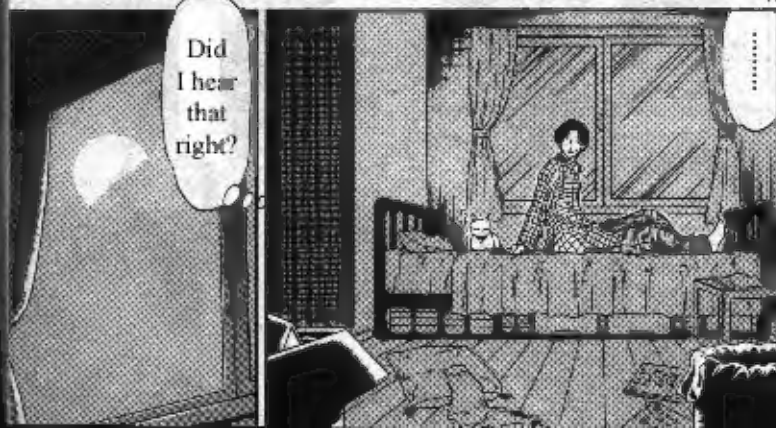
He's been like that since Sakae-chan was killed in that traffic accident



We've been going steady for a year and a half...

Sakae-chan and I have been going out since summer of 1st year college...







...have been sleeping better at night haven't you?

Your smile, it's become natural again



Huh? What do you mean?

Kyoshi, you've changed you know



You ...

13



Ever since this little bother came, I...



Meow? Neh ...!



Come to think of it...



Now, what to call you...

... What do you think huh?

I think it's about time we gave you a name



What a huge bother

It's already been a week



What's up with that?



Yeah... I know you're right...

Or take it to the animal shelter

Well, why don't you just throw her out?



I'd like to ask you the same thing



A kitty cat came of it's own free will?



Ah

Shut up!

Mmph! I never thought you had it in you. Interesting...



Feelings developed over time ...

But ... how do I say this



Irrashai-masen!

Sakae-chan?

What the...?

Hey ...

You can, you know ...

Huh ?

Okay, from now on, I call you Sakae-chan

Oh? You like that, eh?

'Sakae-chan ...'

Where did you go...?

Sakae-chan ...

Sakae-chan?

Sakae-chan

Sakae-chan

... that's tonight ...

On the 16th night...

I really, really want to see you so much ...

I want to see you so much ...

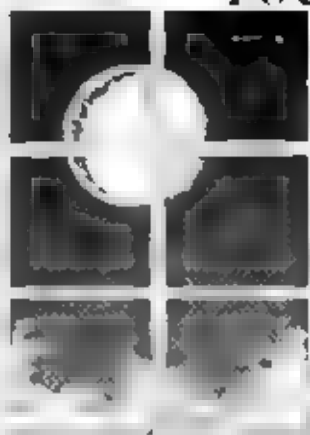
Sakae-chan ...

Sakae-chan ...



PART2

16th Night (2/2)



I had this conversation with Sakae-chan exactly one month ago.



For me, the 16th night is the light of new beginnings.



that Sakae-chan died from that traffic accident.



And it was that same night.



Kyoshi

I p... until last night.

I finally believed I'd never be able to see her again.



No, it's the 16th night.



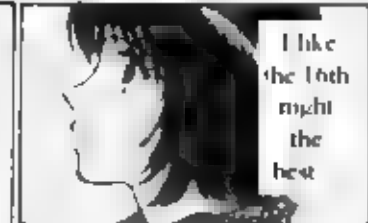
The moon is bright tonight. Beautiful. It's a full moon, right?

That was a 16th night too.

And also the eve we agreed to go steady.

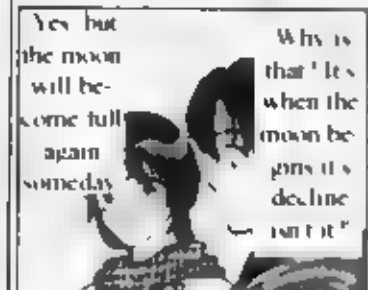


I like the 16th night the best.



Yes, but the moon will become full again someday.

Why is that? It's when the moon begins its decline, isn't it?



with
Sakae-
chan

Huh

You have
tard. Where
did you start
seeing
this
girl?

Who is
it? Neh
Who? Tell
us

Yep

It's
at
our
hard.
I'm
guess
arabok
again

You were
taking you
out for
some fun

Hey
Shige
Naka-
vama-
chan

Come
on Kyo-
shi-kun
burn us

Oh

Well
you're
right but

Huh? Why
aren't you just
working extra
shifts right
now anyway

Sumi
maiden

C'mon

I don't
care what
anyone
thinks

Ia-
da-
ma

Oh no
I think he
might be
really
serious
about
this

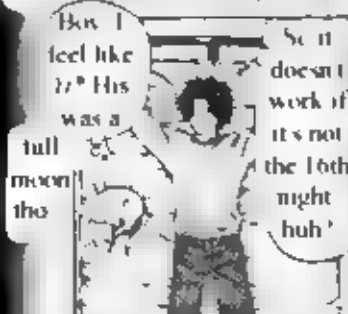
Oh
Shige-kun
Are you sure
Kyo-shi-kun
has gotten a
little better
already?

I look
like he's
gotten
worse
to me

Who
is it

I later on
I have
a date

When Yi, a mythical Chinese hero, had wa-
on's allowed to see his wife when the
moon was full. duan he's ap name



But I
feel like
it? His
was a
full
moon tho

So it
doesn't
work if
it's not
the 16th
night
huh?



Nakae
chan



until
the next
16th
night



You
can
you
know



that's
a really
long
time



I really
want
to see
you

I really
want
to see
you



I long
for the
day I'll
see you



Sa-
kac
chan

I'm
home

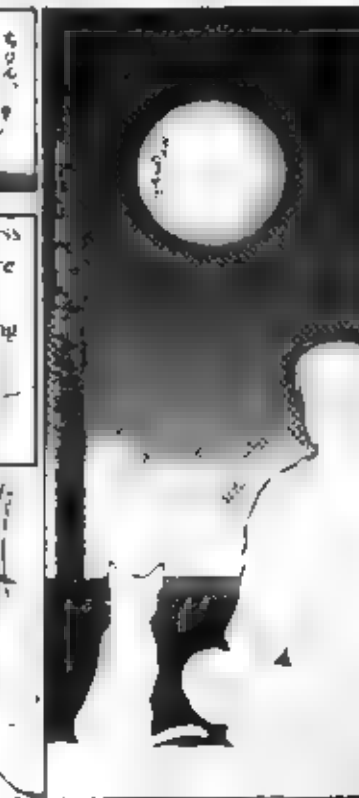


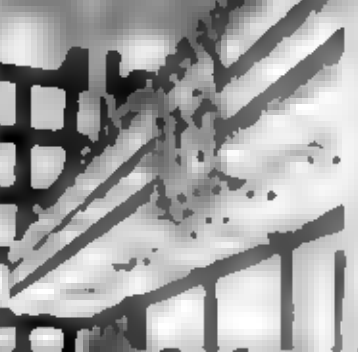
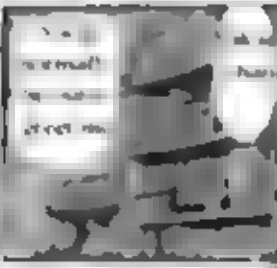
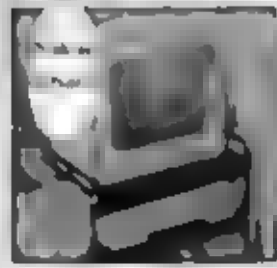
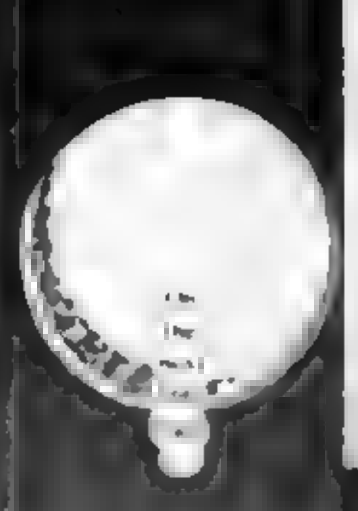
guess
you're
not
talking
today



You
can
you
know

On the
16th
night







It's
said
that
night

Huh

The
night

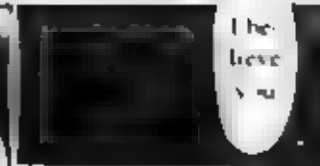


Why
couldn't
she go on
staying by
my side
Then
then why
did she
disappear
from the
night



I'm
certain
it's
Nakae
Chou

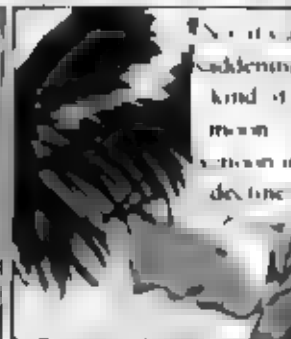
that cat
my very
well be



I be-
lieve
you



Huh



It's a
sudden
kind of
moon
vision in
decline



she re-
appeared
for you
by who

He
young



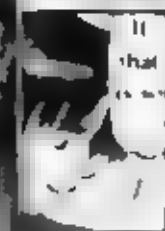
Oh
Aya
she

I think
she meant
I was to
myself

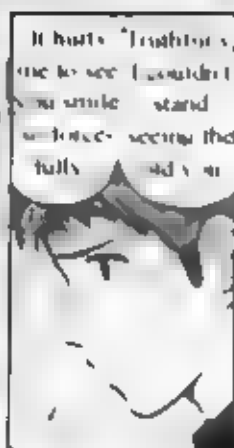


to
have
appeared
before
you

I think
she meant
to relieve
your spirit



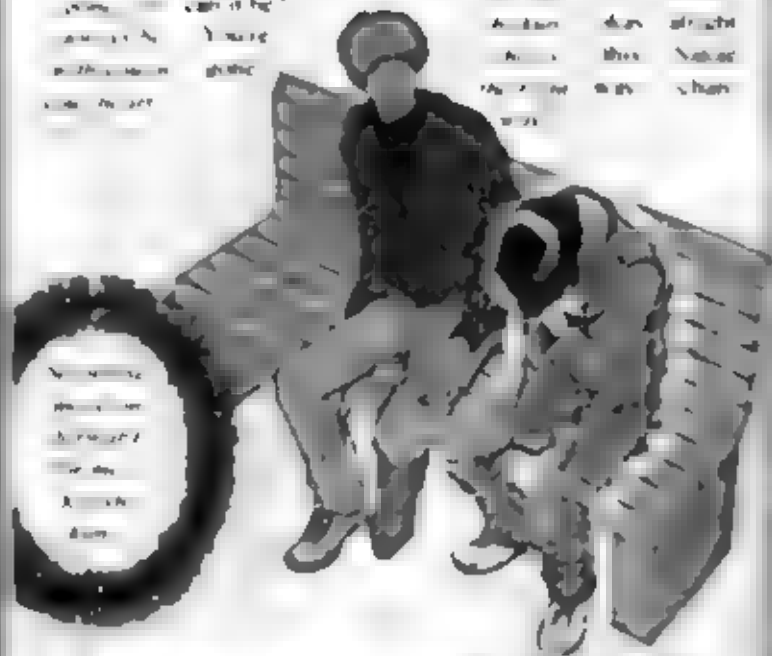
If
that
is so



It hurts "I thought
me to see I couldn't
stand
any more-
seeing the
fully
and you

He said
that he was
going to be
a doctor. He
wasn't a
doctor, but he
was a
doctor.

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that he was
going to be
a doctor. He
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doctor.



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was a
doctor.

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that he was
going to be
a doctor. He
wasn't a
doctor, but he
was a
doctor.



Is that invitation still open?

On Stage

100

Are you kidding?
Mention
Karaoke and
she'd go even
if it hurts.

Let's
call up
Yamanaka
chan.



she's actually quite bad

...I can love
karaoke
that much!

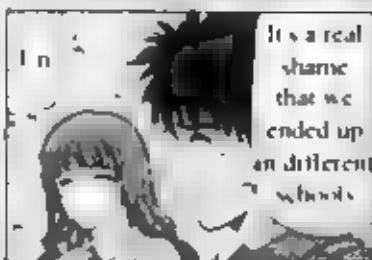
Yamanaka
shan loves
karaoke
that much?



I n

Starting
tomorrow we
will be
seniors

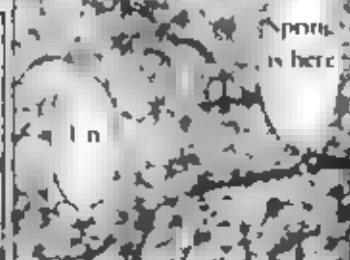
April
the 6th
1991
Yazu
Park



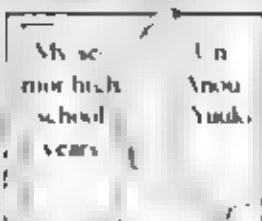
I n

It's a real
shame
that we
ended up
in different
schools

spring
is here

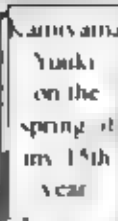


I n



My se-
nior high
school
years

I n
Arao
Yuzuki



Yuzuki and
Yuzuki
on the
spring of
my 15th
year

15 years
Izumi
can you
wanted
tell me
some



PART 3



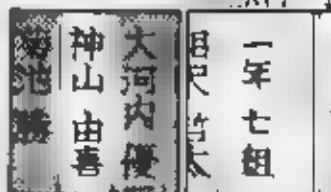
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Toshka
Metropolitan
Private
Sr High

April
the 7th
1999



Toshka
Metropolitan
Private
Sr High

入学式

Class
1-7 huh??
private schools
usually clump
together stu-
dents



I hear
that you
and Iga-
chi Sato-
mi broke
up"

Oh'
Yuuki



begins
with a
breakup

I
wish
to
break
up with
you



PART 3

A New Life (1/2)

No biggie just move on to the next one

Da-na

reminds
Sounds brutal

No huh-bye

I know what they say best way to cure heartbreak is to fall in love again

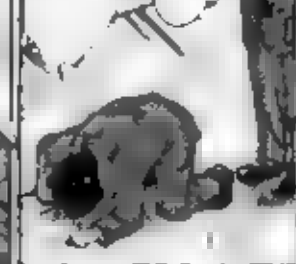


What's discretion?

Don't you know how to use a little discretion?

Ta-laka-vanna

Oh-ya



I don't want to be in a relationship right now



Ivada

Shut up
It's none of your business



I can't help but wonder why. Weren't you guys close in Jr. high?



Yoro-shiku-na

Oh I'm in Class 1-2 too



I don't want anything to do with girls right now

I don't have faith in girls anymore

What if another girl junks me to a horrid place again?



And he's pretty darn rich as well

He's waaaay more handsome and uber tall to boot



I wish to break up with you

I've fallen for someone else



Haha
Facho

Subete

What
the hell
do you
think
you're
doing?

1?

16

Breast 13

You have
to ask
You just
sucked my
breast

Why'd you
do that
Haha
anna

Itai

HELLLLL-YO!!!

I was sure
it was a
muduh

Heh I
guess it's
hard to tell
apart

It felt
hard and
bumps
to me

21

23

Hokkaido

My family moved out of my dad's job they moved to Hokkaido

Oh



Well see you later Yaku-Yama

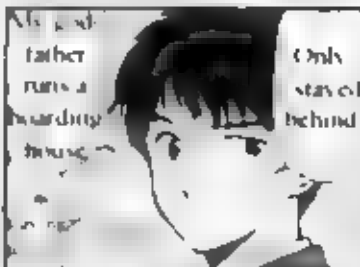
Oh I never told you



all your house over that way

My good father runs a boarding house

Only stayed behind

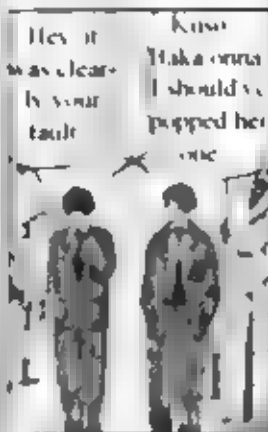


Who



You fly to continue to school

Hey it was clearly your fault



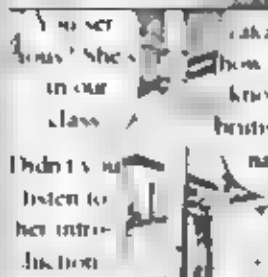
Know Yaku-Yama I should've popped her one

Nothing good comes from being with you

I told



You serious about her in our class



Yaku-Yama how do you know this British girl name?

Oh



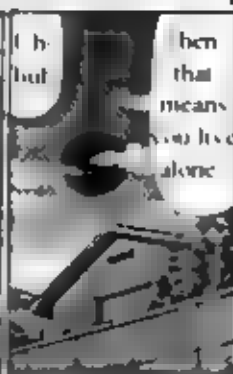
Kawamura Futaba

Although that was a pretty one

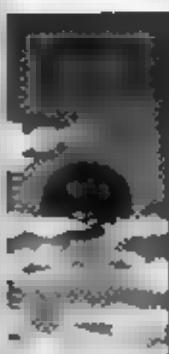
You can take girls home whenever you want



Look I envy you so much



Oh but when that means you live alone



Why'd you think I'd mind? Go ahead



Well the you don't mind if I go after her

Didn't say I'll have nothing to do with

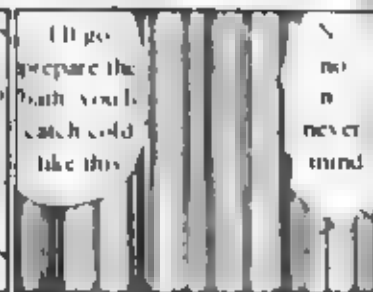


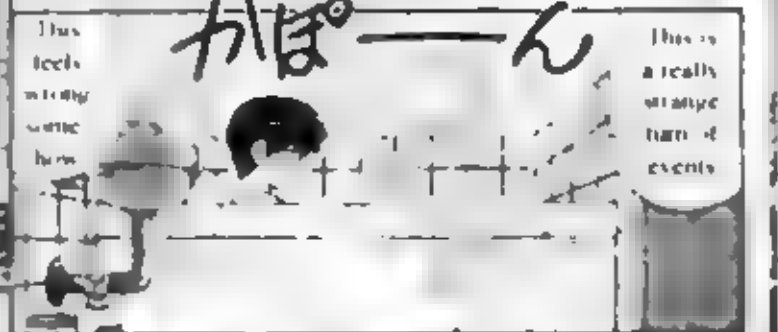
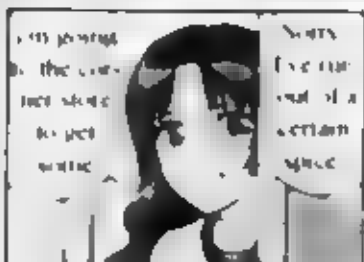
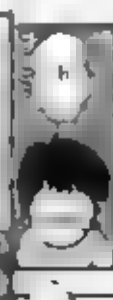
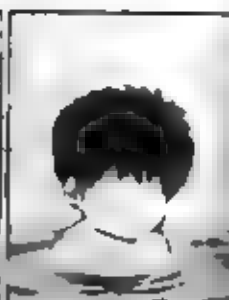
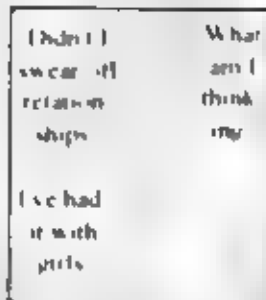
Why I have no interest in her





山科





Chance
chance

back
at
early

to
the
the

the
the
the
the

It's
hard
and
and
and
and
and

No
and
and
and
and
and

I
and
and
and
and
and
and

Oh
and
and
and
and
and

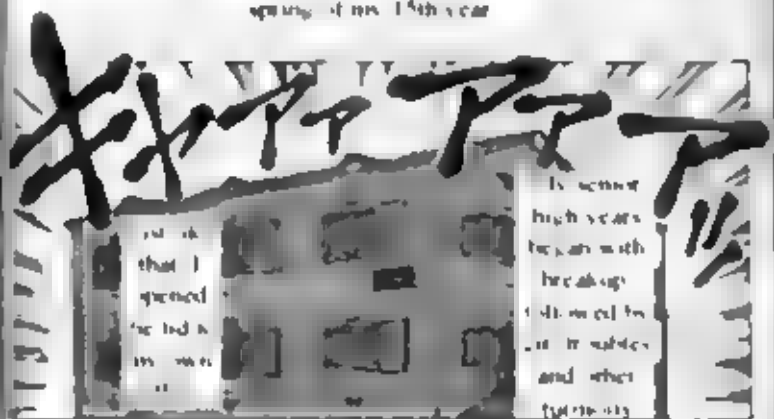
What
did
and
and
and

What
a wild
she has
here

I
it's
magnific
girl



Kamuyama Yushi
spring of his 14th year



and
that I
quitted
he had a
my own
"

Is senior
high years
begin with
breakup
collared by
it makes
and other
features

PART 4

A New Life (2/2)



SALAD DAYS



Kame-
sana
Yukio
spring
of his
15th
year



Today
My
Senior
High
days
will
begin
at last



お嬢様

Chie-
chan



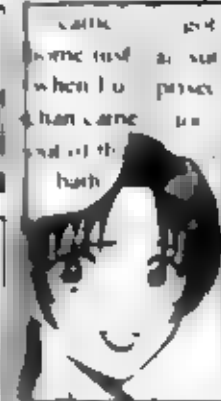
A spring
full of
advice
and
dreams

Ohayo



Are
there
Yukio
kun





...the first
time I saw
when I was
than came
out of the
hurry

I'll
that
oh

Oh right
why did you
leave last
night. I
had a nice
dinner for
you too



Why
do you
keep
follow
ing us

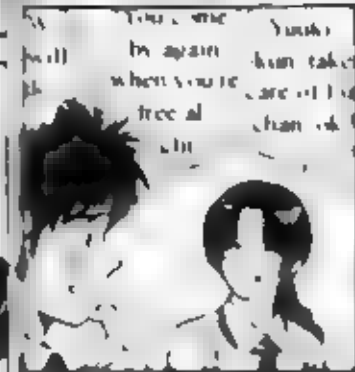
See
me

I'm a mis-
taken I
thought
you two
were in
there to-
gether



It can't be
helped
We go to
the same
school's
known

Why
do you
keep
follow
ing us



You're
by again
when you're
free al-
one

You're
don't take
care of the
chan's

I'm you
do well at
work as
well

See, I
chan you
work hard
at school
every day

I'm
war-
ning
you

A perverted
freak like you
has no right
to enter my
home



The

Each



When
you

You'd better
be against the
rain when you
pass by in the
hallway as
well. Oh

I don't
dream about
us coming
together
either

Well you
touched my
breasts in
top of that

As you're the
only victim
here I'm
not the only
one that can
be a victim



Kawa
mura
Futaba
chan

Oh
She's
such a
pretty
thing

but you've
touched
them more
than the less

It was
an ac-
cident

Well now
you saw
mine are
pretty big
too

I still
don't admit
that what
I touched
were your
nipples

I don't
under-
estimate
me



Wrong. She has
a great personality
as well. Heard
from a Nozomi
that

She's
only
pretty in
the face
maybe

No
doubt

Is that
right



土山科

I don't want to get close to her. And I'm not singling her out. I want nothing to do with all girls.

Ah, to her with it. It's none of my business any way, but

Didn't you hear her introduction?

Nozawa Jr. High. She's from Nozawa Jr. High.



Quite a few people applied for Iohka High just to be around her.

She's outgoing, easy to talk to, and real smart.

Topped with her looks. I hear she's real popular.

Some to think of it. There are a lot from Nozawa.

Some are already setting up a fan club around her.

But isn't Nozawa not far from Iohka? Why's she staying in a boarding house?



What are you doing here?

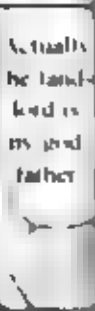
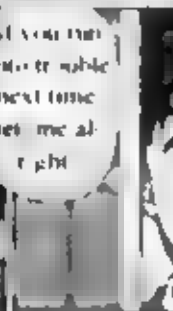
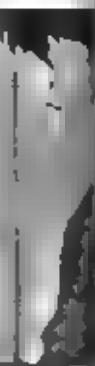
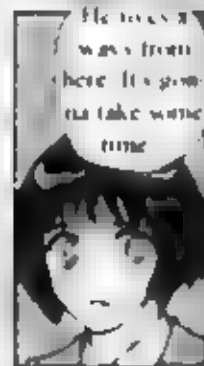
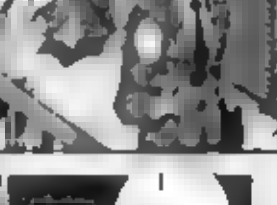
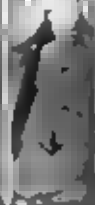
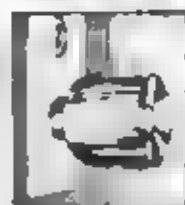
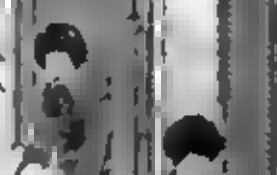
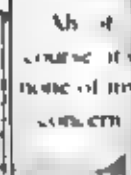
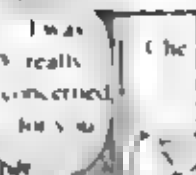
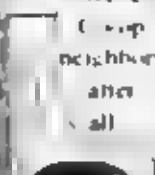
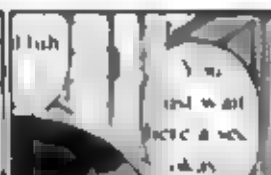


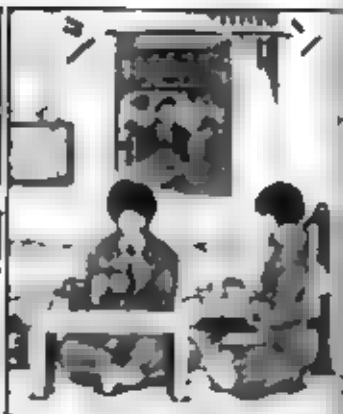
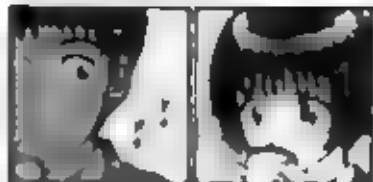
It's nothing. It's not of my business.



Kawano no

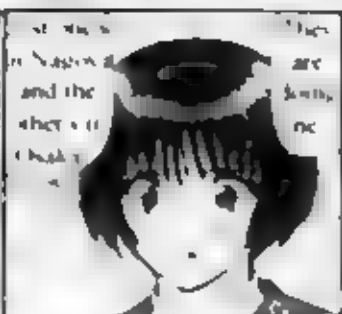






I think you

Don't mention it



As long as you don't mind instant coffee that is

Also Do you want to go in and have a coffee while we wait for the landlord



These are the best Since two years ago



How can you turn my house into a round

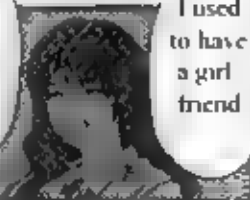
You swear it's just a tree



ugh
business
isn't it

I've
just
recently
been
dumped

I didn't
want to
be split
up with
her so



I used
to have
a girl
friend



But



Chi-
ku-
so



Uh Ah
they moved
to Hokkaido
coz of my
dad's job



What a-
bout you.
Where are
your folks.
Why do
you live
alone?



No it's
nothing
I forget
it

Be-
sides
what



I un-
der-
stand
your
feel-
ing

I won't
laugh
at you

Huh



'Laugh-
able
right'
Go a-
head



Actually I
regret that
I didn't go
with them



But why
didn't
you go
with
them



Un-
veah.
I guess
so

I'm envi-
ous you
folks
seem to
get along
well

Let's start
over I'm
Kawamura
Futaba. Yoro-
shiku onega-
shimasu



The biggest
reason why
I wouldn't
leave Tokyo



Be-
cause
I am
the
same



is be-
cause the
one I love
is right
here



Kami-
yama
Yuuki
spring
of my
15th
year

Why is it
that, her say-
ing the one
I love is sit-
ting uneasy
with me?

Ah, I'm
Kamiyama
Yuuki,
yorooshiku



ah!

I think
maybe we
can be-
come good
friends



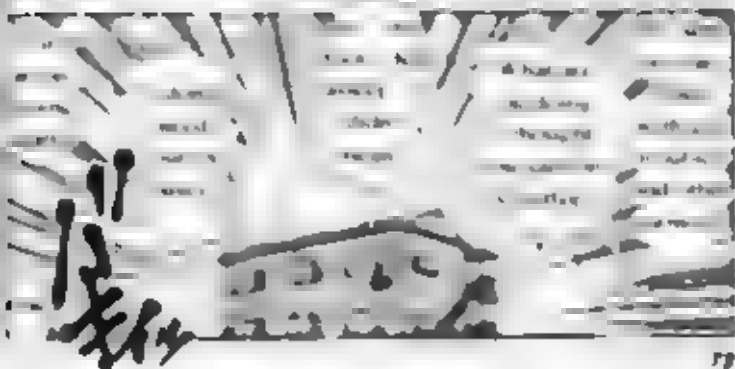
Although
our meeting
may have
been unor-
thodox,



You
and I
are a lot
alike

I didn't want
my parents
breakup to
take me away
from him

So



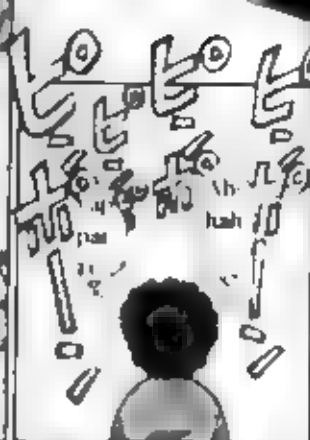
PART 5

Suzuki-san and Satou-san (1/2)





What
was that
noise
just a
while
ago?



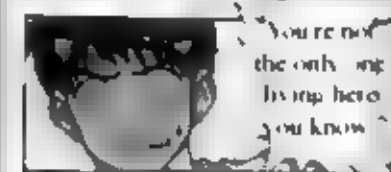
And
don't
take
late
baths

And stop
stomping
on mats

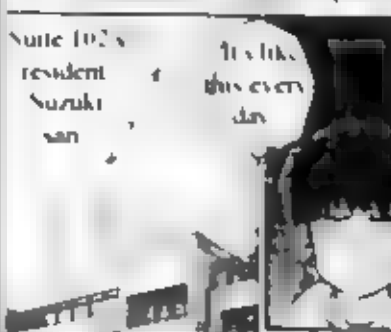


Acci-
dent! Stop
breaking
things

Sorry
I drop-
ped a
plate so
I didn't
say



You're not
the only one
living here
you know



Suite 102's
resident
Suzuki
san

It's like
this every
day



Re-
ally

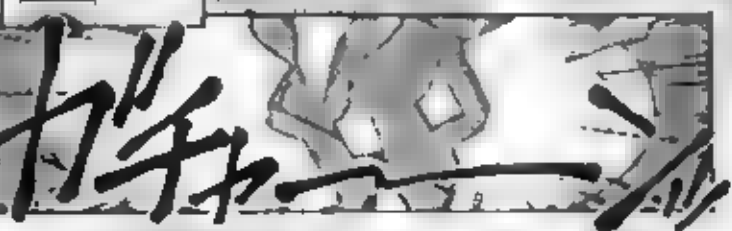
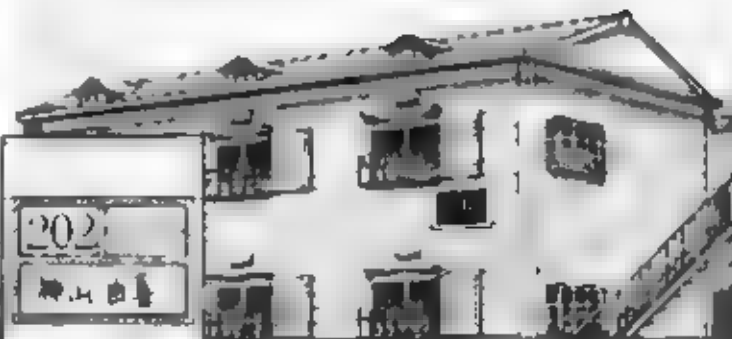
Ha

Will
you
watch
I next
time?

A bunch
of people
from all
walks of
life

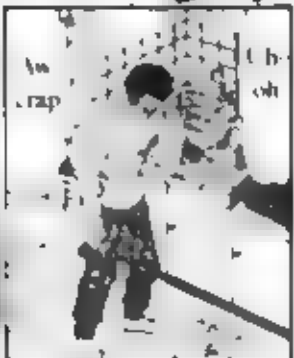
In short
under
one roof
live

This is
"Cosmo
Yama-
shima"



Suzuki
san is
coming
again

Oh no
here he
comes
again



Aw
crap

Uh-
oh

Ah
Futaba
-chan



Sai-
tou
san

But Su-
zuki san
isn't a bad
person

Just wish
he could get
some of Sai-
tou-san's
lousiness



I
put

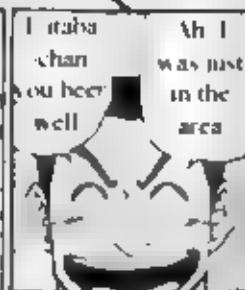
I'm
sure I'll
be a resident



Don't
worry
Don't
worry

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School
regula-
tions say
you can't
not be
here



Futaba
-chan
you hear
well

Ah I
was just
in the
area



Sai-
tou
san



He com-
pletely
ignored
us

Oh the
sweet scent
of youth to
be young



Not a chance

I'm
not
a
boy
friend



He
seems
so tense
all the
time

Ah yeah
He seems
like a really
obsessive-
compulsive
guy



As far as
I know
people came
and went
before you

You'd
be no
Yu-
zuki



What
does it
mean
That's why
I don't
don't last
very long

I really
can't bear
this for
much
longer



Kawa-
mura
you're
a real
pest

So when
are you
planning
to move
out



In the
end all
they can
do is
move

Suzuki
-san's a
master at
making a
big fuss

You can't
rebuke him
coz he's
always
right



You'd
out
chop-
ping I
see

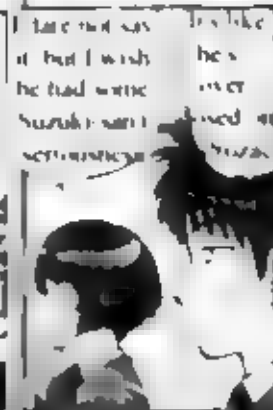


What
should
I do

It's all
Suzuki
san's
fault

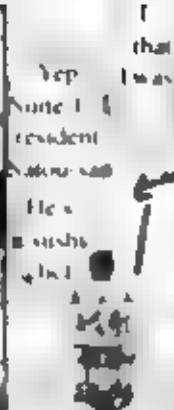


Ara
Yuu-
kun



I dare not say
it, but I wish
he had written
Suzuki san's
apology letter

It's like
he's
over-
lived
Suzuki
san



Yep

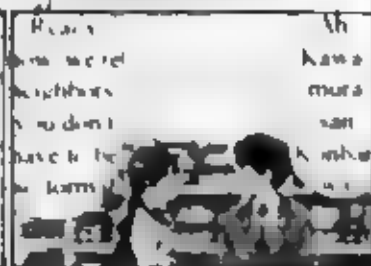
Little I
resident
above said
He's
a sushi
buff



Well
I'm
off



Just
Hatsune
is fine



Really
we were
neighbors
so don't
have to be
formal

Oh
Kawa-
mura
san



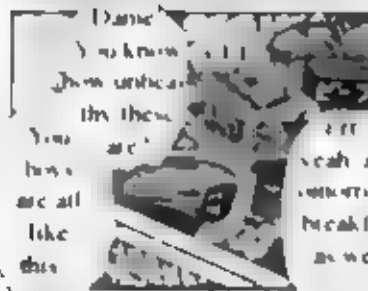
sure
kiss
them
too

Just think
about it
your sister
also a little
fun have



Really
Who
is everyone
in the
Group
even
you

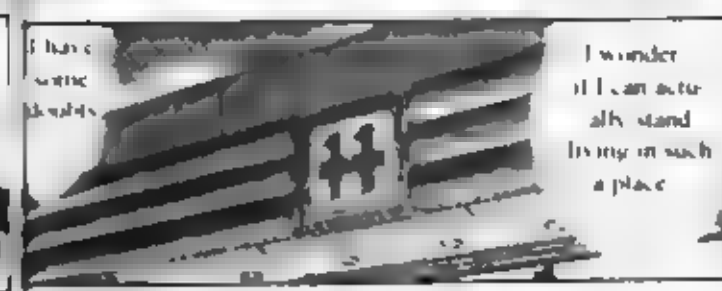
Does it make
the perfect
person if they
had half of
each other's
traits



Dame
You know
I'm serious
tho these
are
You
boys
are all
like
this



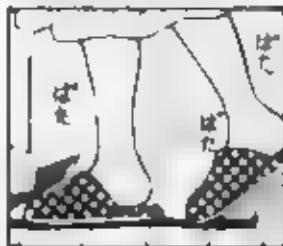
Yuu-
kun is
that your
dinner
for to-
morrow's
breakfast
as well



I have
some
doubts

I wonder
if I can actu-
ally stand
living in such
a place

SALAD DAYS



I could ask you the same thing

Just a minute it's almost done

Just what is going on



Suzuki-san will

Gah She's stomping around



Eh

Why don't I just cook for you?

Here's an idea



I haven't made up for throwing water on you yet so it's set

No No thank you



nani

Aa Ureshii desu

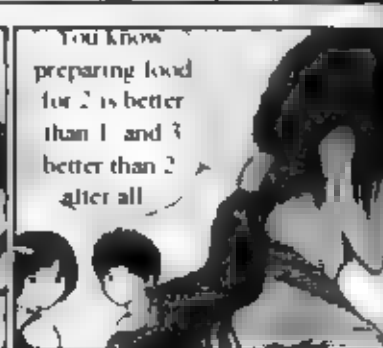
All three of us would be together!

I'm sure Fu-chan will be there too



And besides

The more the food the more purposeful it seems



You know preparing food for 2 is better than 1 and 3 better than 2 after all



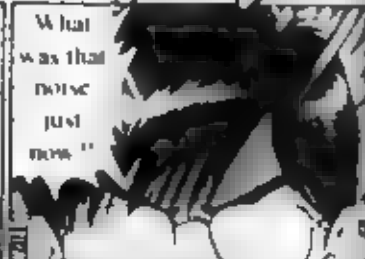
I've come! she have decided for me!





Not again

Ah
sumi
maseu
the
bow!



What
was that
noise
just
now "



To say
that you
are not
the only
tenant
here "

How
many
times
do I
have



Ha-
tsune
san "

Ha

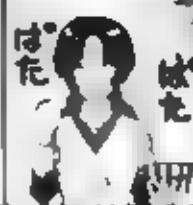
Su-
zuki
san "

Ara

So



Alright
it's done
Come
and get
it



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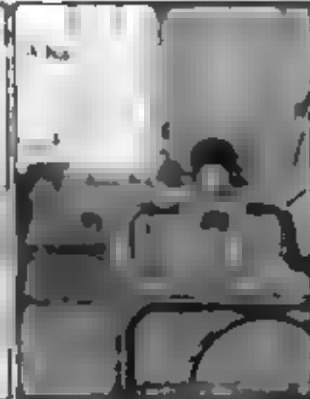
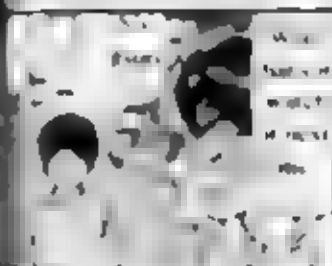
Hatsune
-san's just
so adorable
this way



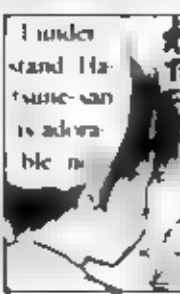
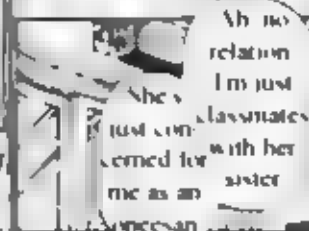
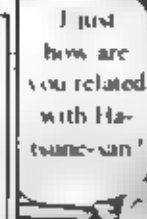
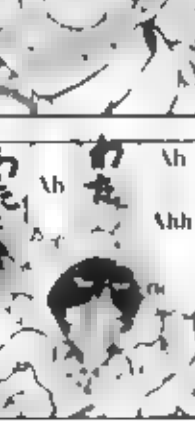
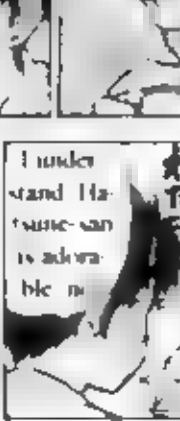
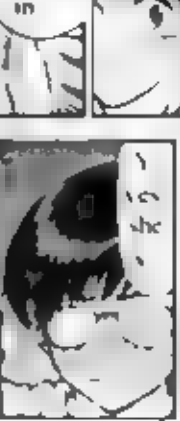
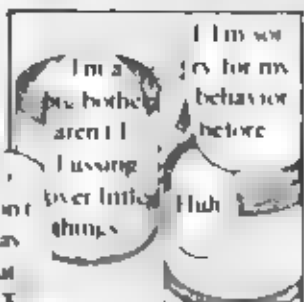
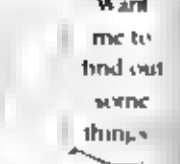
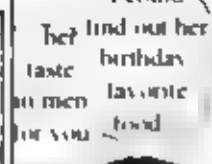
It's
been a
while

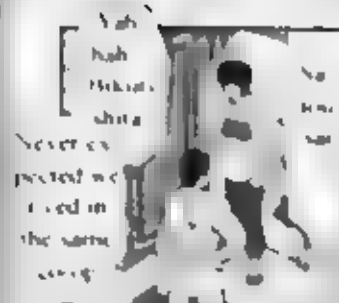
since I
last felt
preparing
food as
being
fun

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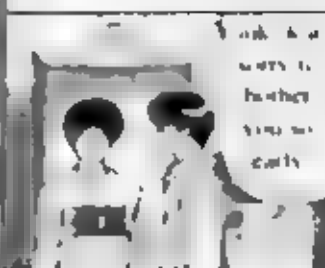


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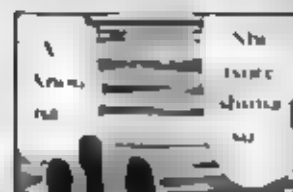


Enaba
chan's
boy
friend

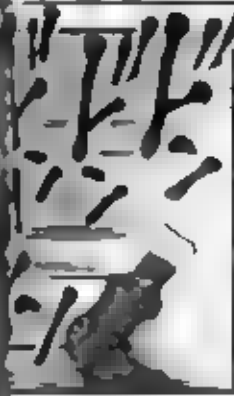
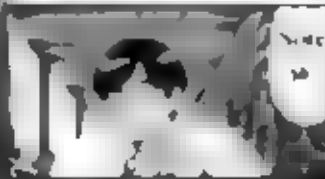


Suzuko
can't
be a good
person
after all

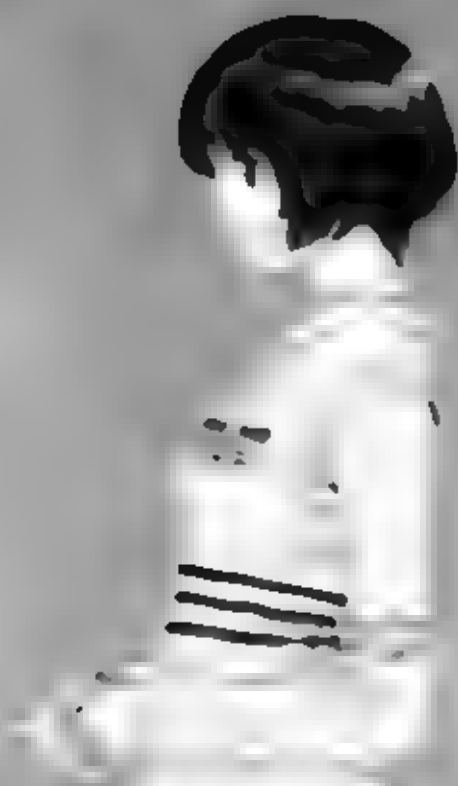
What an
odd way
to die
but that
had



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PART 6

Suzuki-san and

Satou-san (2/2)

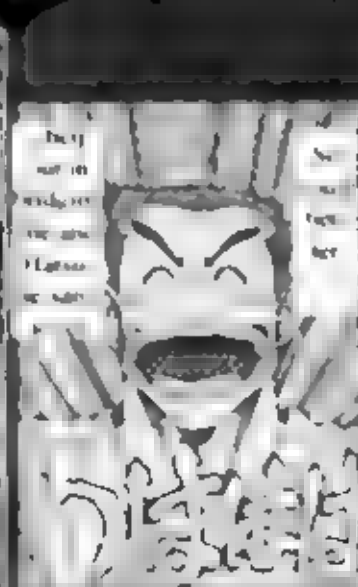


I think
I'm a little
bit

Oh



What's
Yamada's
hair
color
green
green
green
green



They
said
they
were
going
to
be
happy



Oh
I think
this is
a

Yamada's
hair
color
green
green
green
green



Oh, what
am I
saying
this
is a
house
of
the
house

I think
a
little
bit
She
doesn't
know
what
to
do
about
the
house



Yamada
is
a
house
of
the
house
of
the
house

Yamada
is
a
house
of
the
house
of
the
house



Yamada
is
a
house
of
the
house
of
the
house

Yamada
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Yamada
is
a
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of
the
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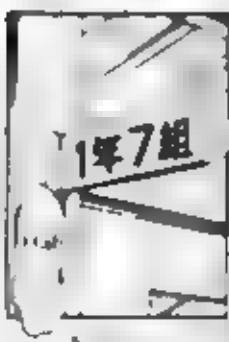
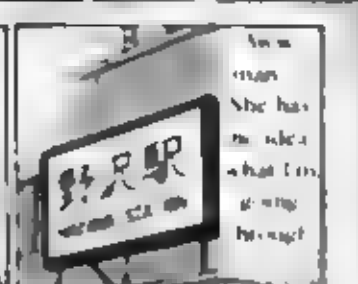
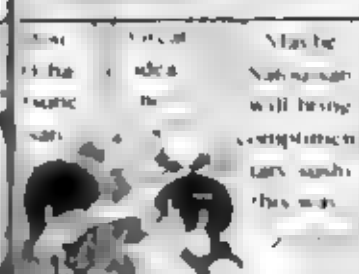
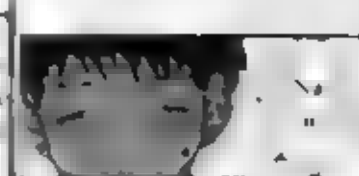
Yamada
is
a
house
of
the
house
of
the
house



Yamada
is
a
house
of
the
house
of
the
house

Yamada
is
a
house
of
the
house
of
the
house

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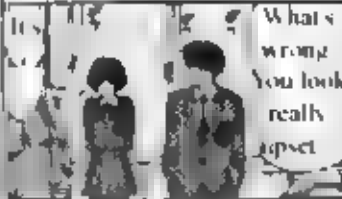


really wish for Onecchan to live a happy life



But of course

You're really serious about his



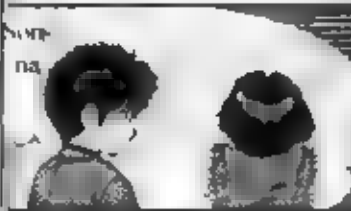
What's wrong? You look really upset

Sa-tou-san!

Suzuki-san and



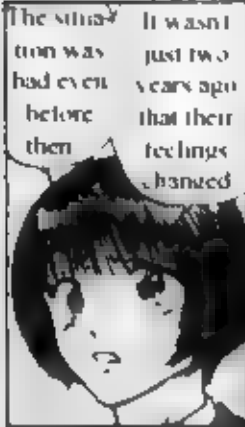
How should I say this? Onecchan has a history of attracting the biggest freaks



Or maybe a super-showed any promise

If it's not an inactive false

collector



The situation was bad even before then

It wasn't just two years ago that their feelings changed

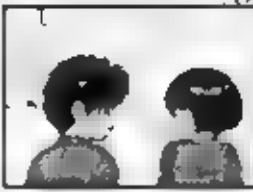
Ah



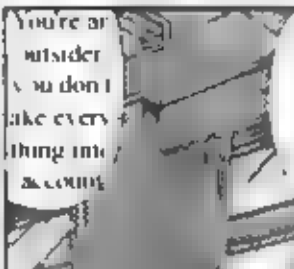
I told you before about my parent's divorce!



In my case whoever he may be he's going to be my future brother-in-law



But thankfully I managed to fend them all off

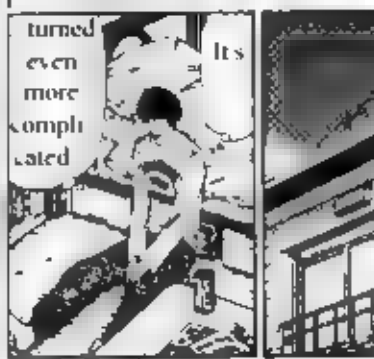
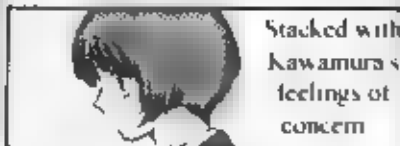
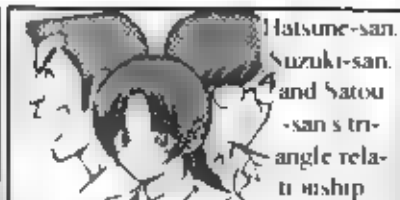


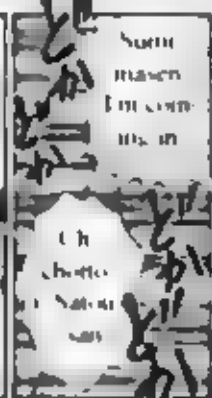
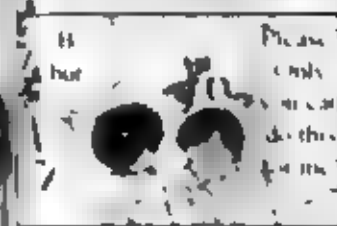
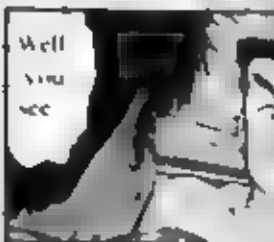
You're an outsider so you don't take everything into account

I don't think they can be that bad though

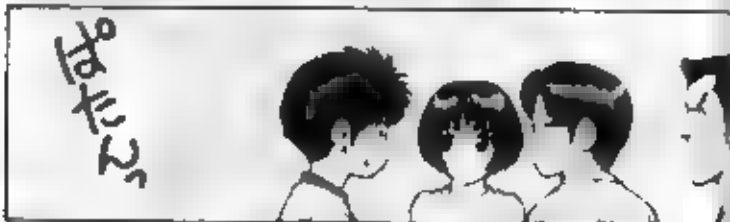
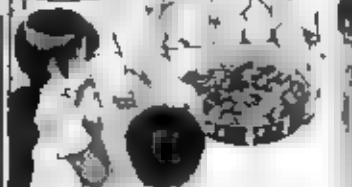
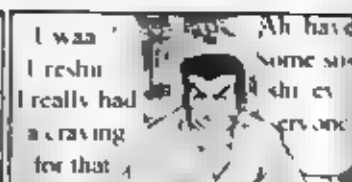


Wah ' How did it become so complicated?

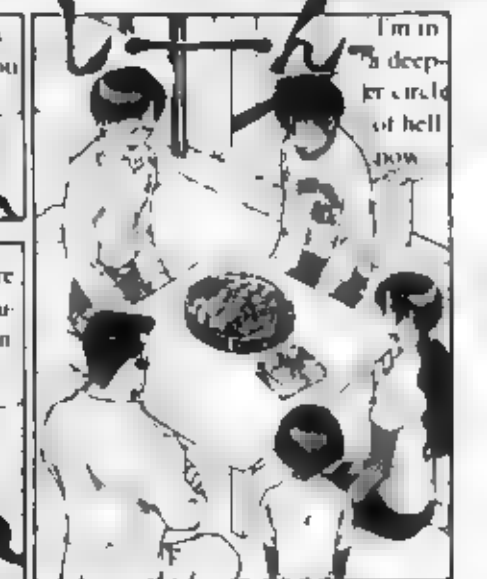
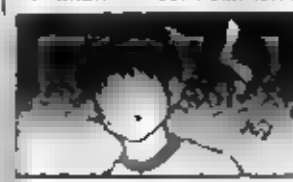




SALAD DAYS



*Youkan Sweet bean jelly



Although
I don't un-
derstand the
reason he
and it

Although
I don't un-
derstand the
reason he
and it

Although
I don't un-
derstand the
reason he
and it

I feel

Although
I don't un-
derstand the
reason he
and it

May
I ask
you
some-
thing?

U
corner-
And



Suzuki
san Na-
four-san

Here
there

One can't
help but
be smitten
by it

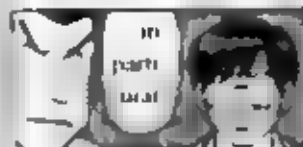
Let sad-
dened ex-
pression is
no heart
break (no)

Of course!

Do you
two really
love Chiee-
chan



in
parti-
cular



Just what
exactly
do you
like about
Chiee-chan
in parti-
cular?



I know
that her
heart is
fragile

I see her
with a look
of deep
sadness at
times

She
looks so
carefree,
with a
smile all
the time,
but

Ita-
cun-
ne-san



then
why do
you two

It
that's
true

力

I had trouble deciding which cup to take

Ah
sorry
I took
so long

Ok no
matter
I'll go
make
tea

Shi-ran

Huh?

Wanted
to start
over.

I was in a bind there

I merely
spoke out
my mind

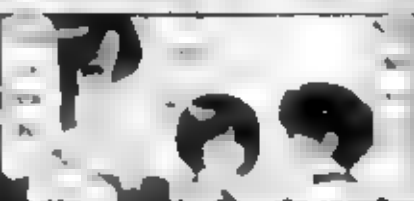
No thanks
needed
I mean.
after all
I didn't do
it for you

I have doubts
about your
seriousness
with this
matter

I don't believe this kind of person can make (hundreds of) people happy.

need
someone
else to
help you
express
it

Why
can't you
do it by
your-
selves?

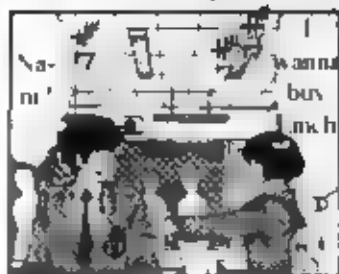


PART7

Rock n' Roll - Veggies (1/3)

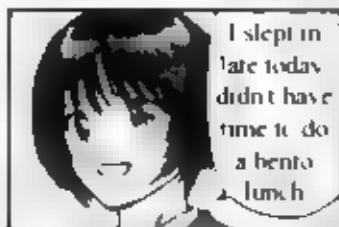


SALAD DAYS■



I end
me

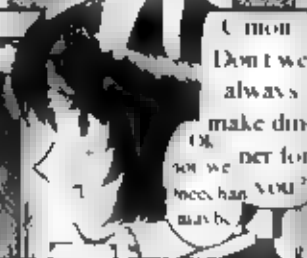
I want
buy
lunch



I slept in
late today
didn't have
time to do
a bento
lunch



Omase
wa



Umou
Don't we
always
make din-
ner for
you?
So we
need have
may be



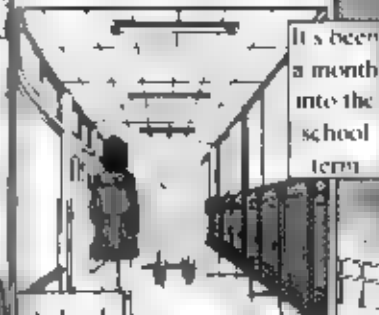
uh

Oh
Yuuki



Dou-
mo

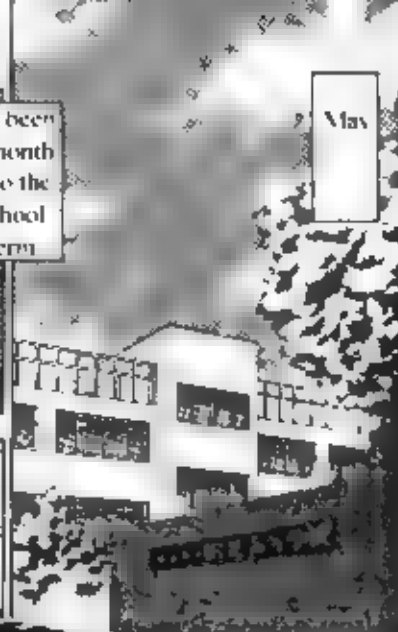
You'd
better
pay
me
back



It's been
a month
into the
school
term

School
life has
started to
become
more
settled

1年7組



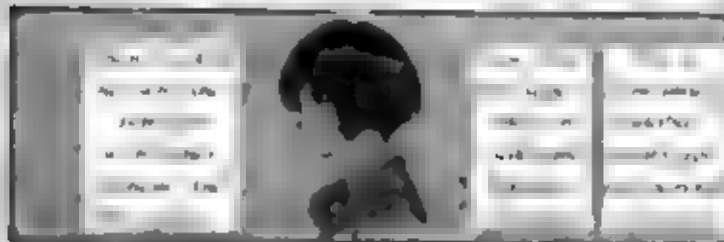
May



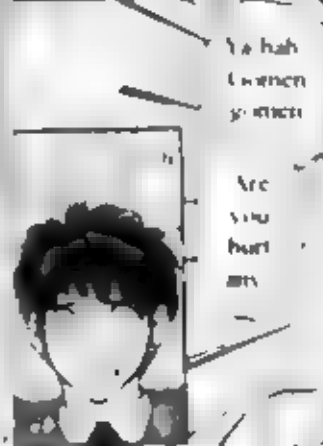
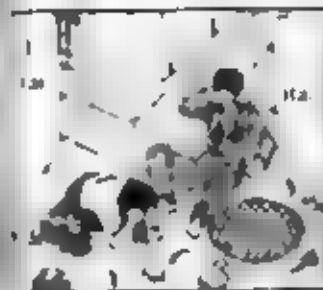
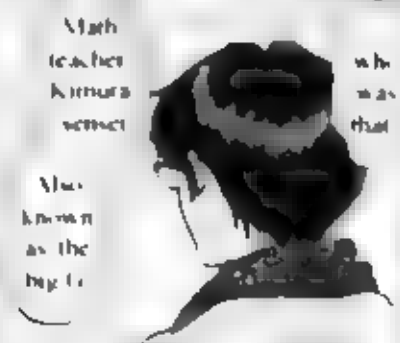
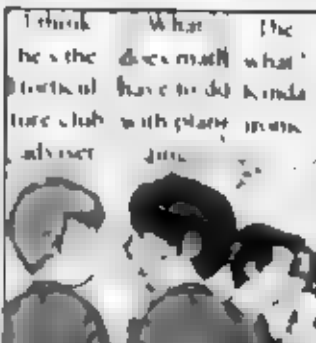
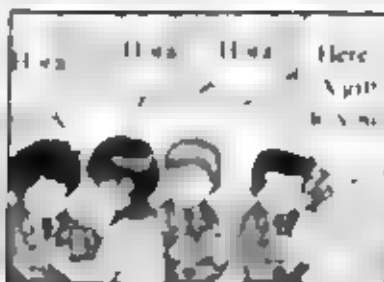
This is
when every-
one starts to
notice more
of their sur-
roundings

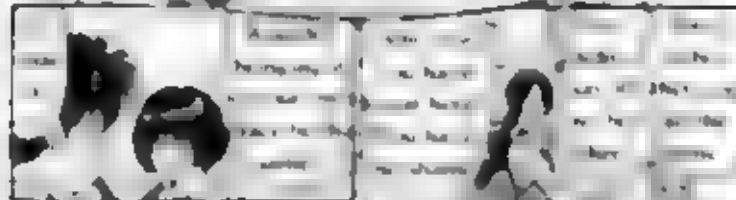
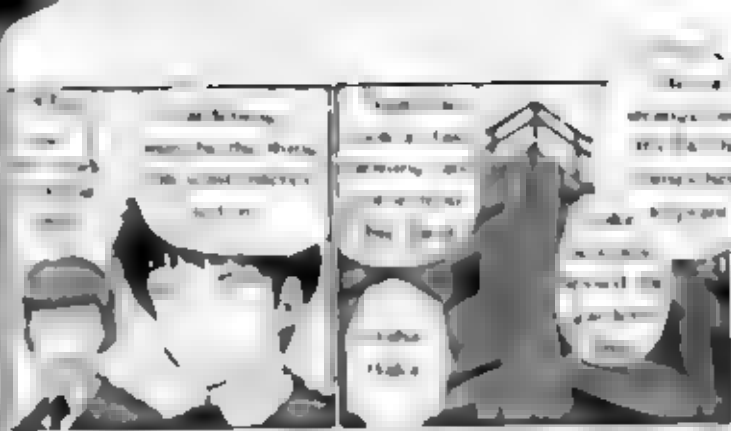
Yuuki

SALAD DAYS



SALAD DAYS







Gender
15.00
15.00

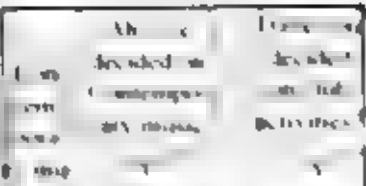
Abandon



The world
extended
the gates
beyond
what
back
there

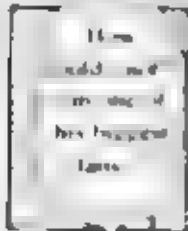


What
it
is



Abandon
Decided
Compassion
My
My

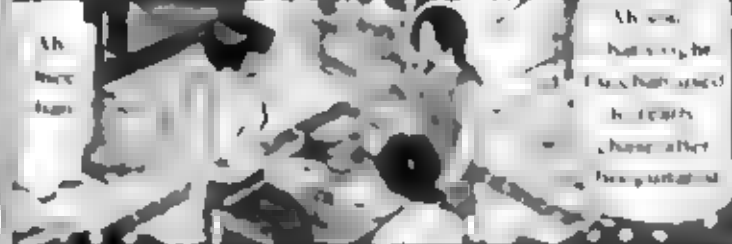
Abandon
Decided
My
My



How
add
my
has
Lovers

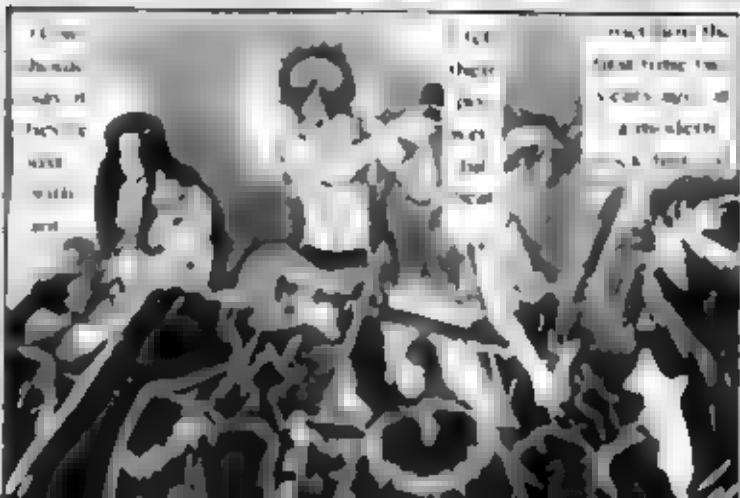


How
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers



Abandon
Lovers
Lovers

Abandon
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers



How
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
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How
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
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Lovers

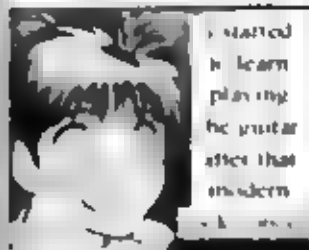
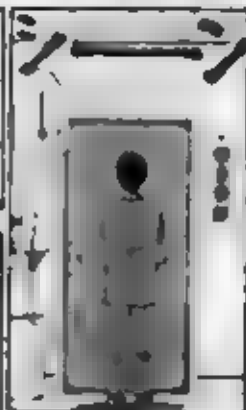


How
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers

How
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers
Lovers

軽音楽部

What
happened
it



I started
to learn
playing
the guitar
after that
incident



But that
was after
he quit
the band



he had
started to
think it
wasn't
right to
be in it



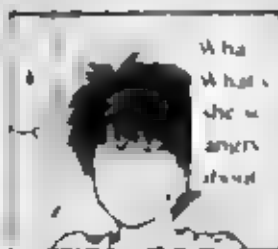
You
get
off
it

What
is he
up to
now



What
what is
Shinichi
like
now

What
So you
were going
after him
That is
weird



What
What
the
mean
about

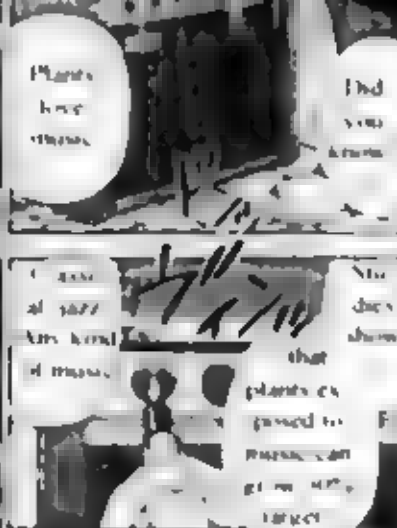


Isaka

How
should I
know. You
thought
I said
I knew



It's
not all
the
best



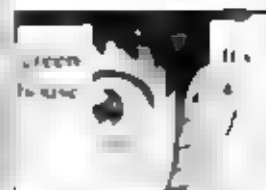
Plants
love
strains.

Did
you
know

Can
at 1000
Any kind
of music.

Who
does
show

that
plants ex-
posed to
music can
grow up
faster



green
house

It's



17



Ab

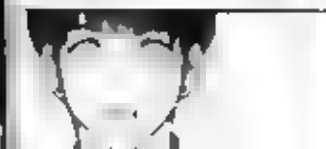
That
secret
prop



It's fast
yet it's
smooth
as well

Who
is this
is

Naomi
He can
smell it
chests
is fast



Compass
every one
me with
Hotties
that

It
shows

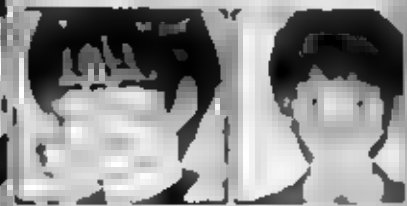


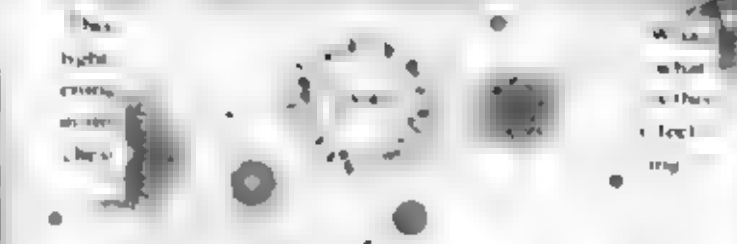
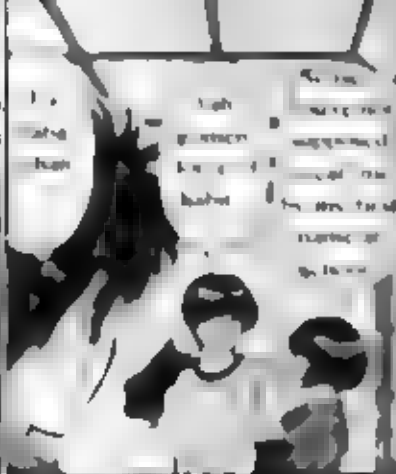
What
Hotties
culture

Na
on



You're
here to
sign up
for that





PART 6

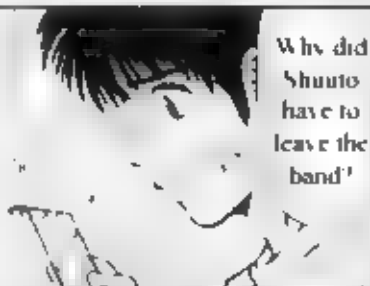
THE END





But
don't
under-
stand

For what?
Just to be
a lowly
Sr. High
teacher?"



Why did
Shunto
have to
leave the
band?



Contemporary Music Room

軽音楽部



I
really
want
to
know



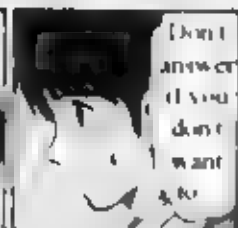
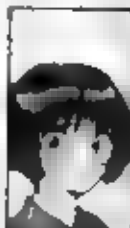
PART 8

**Rock 'n Roll -
Veggies (2/3)**



Shuuto
just a
little
curious

Why
do you
ask?



Don't
answer
if you
don't
want
to



He was
just once
my home
tutor that
is all

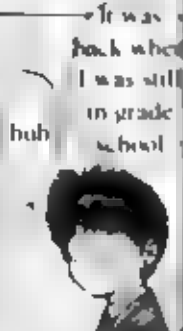
No I don't
mind our
relationship
isn't really
all that se-
cretive



Shuuto
sensei was
in college
back then

What's
so strange
about it

Home tutor
The same
Shuuto of
Garden Plot
How did that
happen



It was
back when
I was still
in grade
school
huh



You can
just put
it down
there for
now

Ar-
gato
Futaba-
chan

I'm ready
to plant
the saplings
and seeds

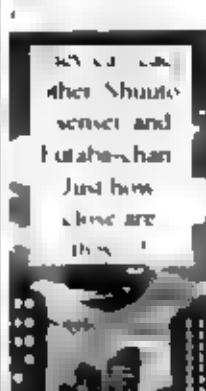


Shu-
uto
sen-
sei

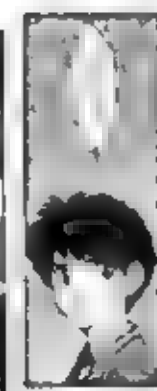


Ah gomen
gomen Ka-
wamura
arigato

Iya how many
times do I have
to say not to call
me that while
at school



Yes I can
other Shuuto
sensei and
Futaba-chan
Just how
close are
they



Then I might have resorted to something drastic.

I surely would've tailed the Junior High

If I hadn't met him then I don't think I would be the person I am now

I think he was more of a morale booster than a tutor to me

To me Kimura-sensei is

He is my savior

I should say

He was the main reason why you were determined to stay in Tokyo am I right?

Naruto

He took me with him to his gigs

Hajime-mashite I'm Shuuto Kimura. You're Shikuro one-garashi

Then

in that environment I had to face the upcoming Junior high exams

For me this was my most tumultuous time

It was also then that my family troubles started

Of course a long blond-haired rocker turned up in place of a typical tutor

At first everyone was scared for me myself included

Under that appearance is an incredibly warm person

But

Can you
sprinkle
fertilizer
on the
vegetables

Yahho
Yuuho

It's
growing
more and
more

the
pain
in my
chest

It's

growing
uncon-
trollably

Ah the
seeds just
need water
and a little
plowing

The sap-
lings like
to be gene-
rously wa-
tered

OK

OK

Isn't this
supposed to
be a con-
temporary
museum

Yep
but it's
Horti-
culture
as well

Yuuho
Kinnu's
sister

軽音楽部

I'm

We
are
tough

He's
the one
you
said

No I
guessed
right

• Kinnu's heartbeat

SALAD DAYS■

I actually
planting is
my true
passion. It's
when I'm
happiest.



It's
nice to
remin-
isce but

I'm now
Tobika High
teacher
Kimura
Shuuto

Besides
Garden
Plot's Shu-
to is now
a part of
my past

That
and no
one else

Don't you
think so?
Planting
relaxes
oneself



You
past
self



How can
you let
it go so
easily?



I
don't
think
so

But it's
really as
if it taught
me a great
philosophy
of life

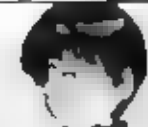


It's life-
altering.
That may
sound out-
rageous but

Shuuto's
music
reverberates
through me
in every
waking
moment

I hold great
respect for
Shuuto the
Garden Plot
guitarist

But
there

Shu-
ursh
Shu-

You can
play no
one is
stopping
you



I want
Garden Plot's
lead guitarist
Shuuto to
teach me
his skill



Kimura
sensei
I want
you to
teach me

It's not
some-
thing
I can
teach



It was
self taught
through
much
trial and
error

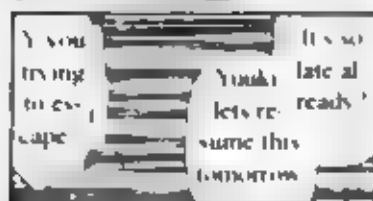
I
can't
do
that




But all
I've been
doing is
Horti-
culture
related

When do
I get to
play the
guitar?

SALAD DAYS



You
trying
to es-
cape

It's so
late al-
ready!
You'd
better re-
sume this
CONTRIBUTION

The school
is closing
all remaining
students must
prepare to
leave

カッ
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late

Gomen I'll
be late I
really have
to go at
once

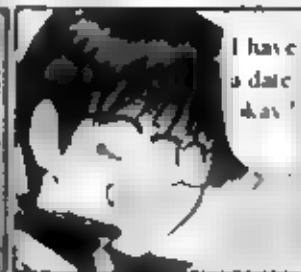


Oh

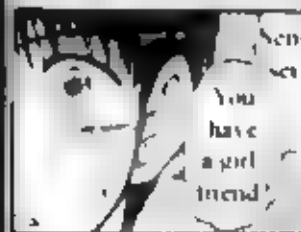


Yes

Ah-
ah



I have
a date
day



You
have
a girl
friend?

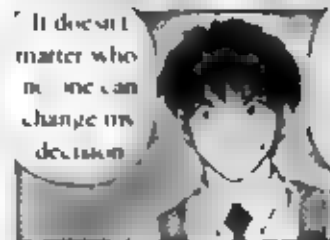


broke
your
ideal
image

I'm
really
sorry
that I



The
illus-
ion is
lost



It doesn't
matter who
me, me can
change my
decision



My life-
style is
my own
choice

But



What

Just how
much of my
true self can
you really
under-
stand?



He-
sides

That is
my busi-
ness isn't
it!

But he
already
has a
girl
friend

Why? What
prompted
you to ask
me this?

Kimura-sen-
sei. Why
do you love
such a mi-
nomotist?

What
took
you to-
day?

Hen-
na

We can
settle it
next
time

Ono-chan's
going to be
late today, so
this is your
dinner

Sen-
to

Just as
well. Ho-
ra, this is
for you

Ka-
wa-
mura

So
what

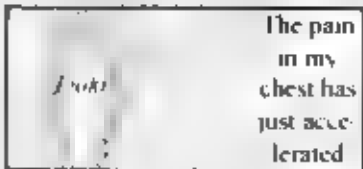
I al-
ready
knew
that

What
does
it mat-
ter?

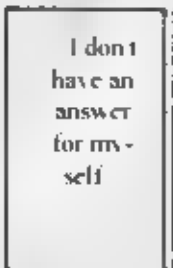
huh?

How
can you
be in love
with such
a person?

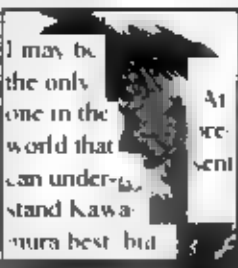
SALAD DAYS



The pain
in my
chest has
just acce-
lerated



I don't
have an
answer
for my-
self

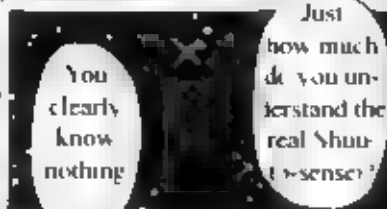


I may be
the only
one in the
world that
can under-
stand Kawa-
mura best but



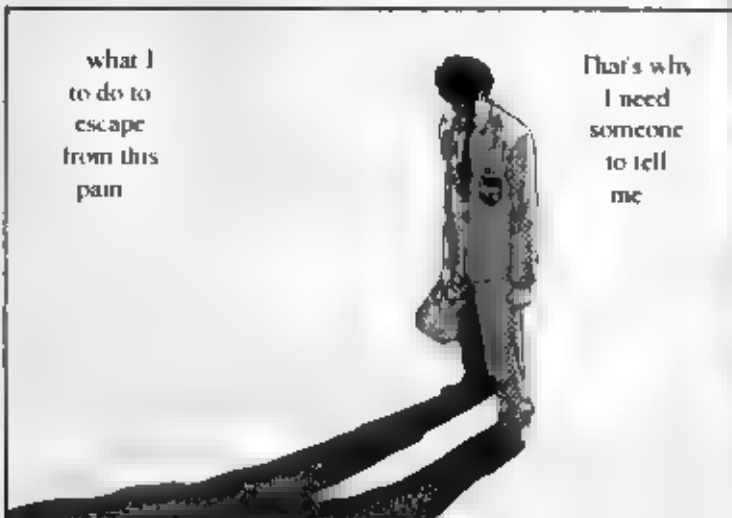
What
choice do
I have?
What do
you want
me to do?

Even if it's
so I still
love him
I still wish
to be a-
round him



You
clearly
know
nothing

Just
how much
do you un-
derstand the
real Shuu-
tensei?



what I
do to do to
escape
from this
pain

That's why
I need
someone
to tell
me



You are
the only
villain
I see
here' Baka'

What
right do
you have
to talk of
his short
comings?



Even if it's
so I still
love him
I still wish
to be a-
round him

What choice
do I have?
What do
you want
me to do?

Tell
me

PART 9

Rock n' Roll - Veggies (3/3)



SALAD DAYS■



SALAD DAYS



Why

Yuuko yesterday you said Shuuto sensei was minimalist

For that I thing



He has no will to move forward



He has no dream



Saying that this is his chosen life-style

But now A mere Sr High teacher

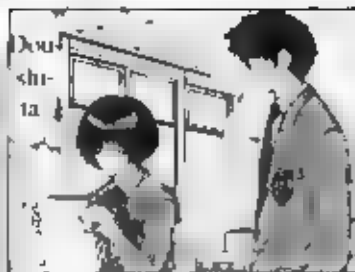
Having fun planning vegetable tables

If they had continued onward, they would have been super-stars

Am I wrong Garden Plot was a legendary band that everyone knew



It's just so dull



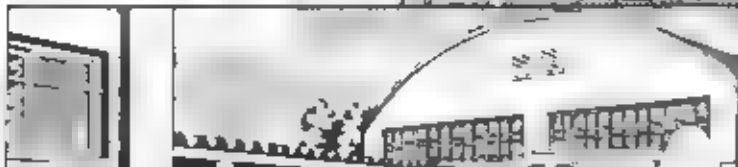
Dou-shi-ta



I need to talk with you

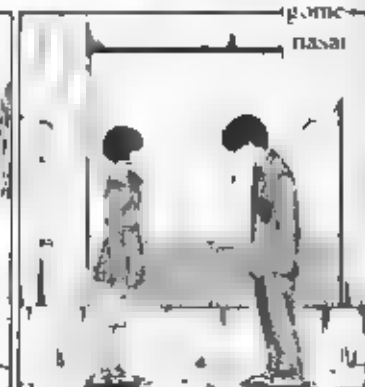


Kawa mura



huh

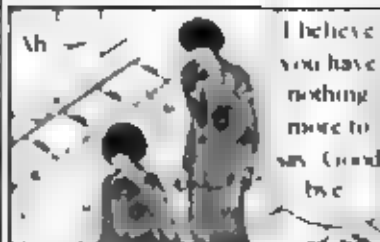
For what



gome nasai

And
his will
to move
forward

His
dream

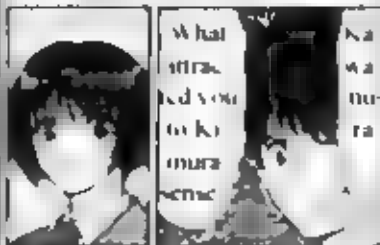


Ah

I believe
you have
nothing
more to
say. Good
bye



What
now



What
attracted
you to
Kumura
sensei

Ka
wa
na
ra



And if
the other
disagrees
you think
they're the
ones at
fault

You
look
skin
deep
Assuming
what a per
son wants
yourself



You're but
a selfish
idealist

You don't
even know
what you're
apologizing
for, Chihaya



The
one that
is dull
is you
may be



Don't
get
it

The Kumura-
sensei now
where's his
dream and his
will to move
forward

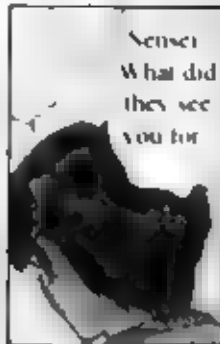
狂言察部

I
don't
get
it



狂言察部
狂言察部





Sensai
What did
they see
you for



Yap-
pai

Yeah my
old hand
mates back
in my Gar-
den Plot
days



Weren't
those
guys
while
ago



The
other two
than guys
senses
are



Da
re'



revising
Garden Plot
stating the
various be-
nefits for
doing it

This
came
to pro-
pose



Ah



You pig
headed
son-of-a-
bitch



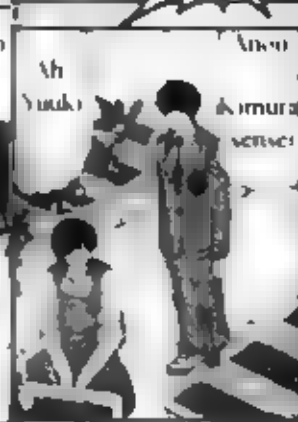
Absol-
utely no
intention
to



It's
no-
thing

Honto ni?
This is
really
great

Ah



Ah
Yuriko

Amou
Kumura
senses

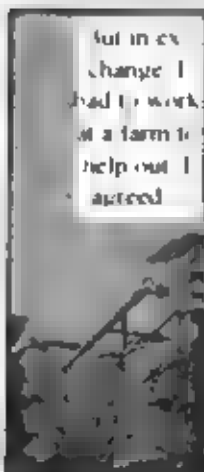
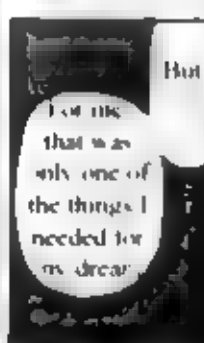
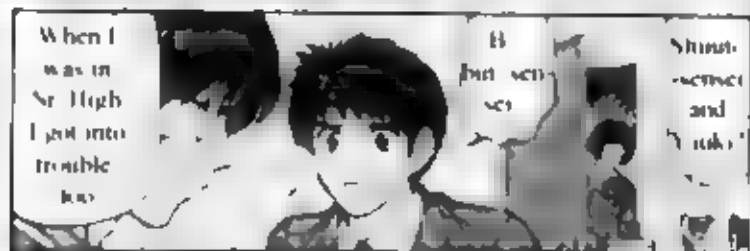
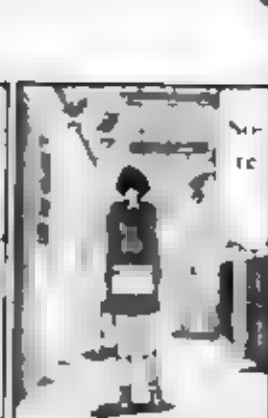


You
better
not re-
gret it
Shoudo

We'll
never
come
back
again



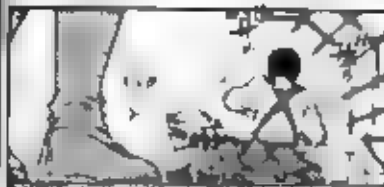
Sensai
are you
going
to re-
join
them?





Kawa-
mura

Clos



Oh

I like what
you see. I'm
pouring
soil in-
to the
plot.
I wan-
na try it
from the
vers be-
ginning

Whatcha
doin'

He's the
same as
he was
before

Kimura
sensei did
leave the
band, but
he's still
Shuuto

Hey
Kawa-
mura

In
fact



gome-
nasai

Hon-
to m



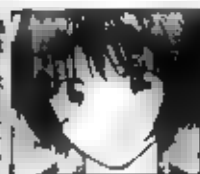
Oh
Yuuki
What're
you

Yu-
uki'



Huh



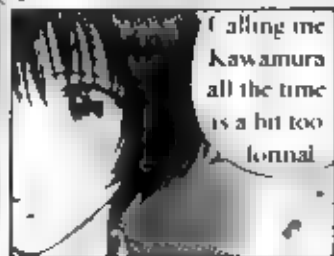


Ah
hai

Kawamura,
could you hand
me the
page?



He's
still
the one
I idol-
ize



Calling me
Kawamura
all the time
is a bit too
formal



Oh
Yuuka

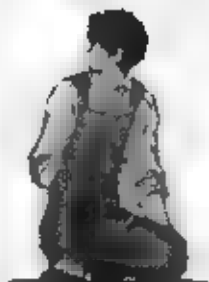


From
now
on,

just
call me
Futaba



Fu-
taha
would
be fine

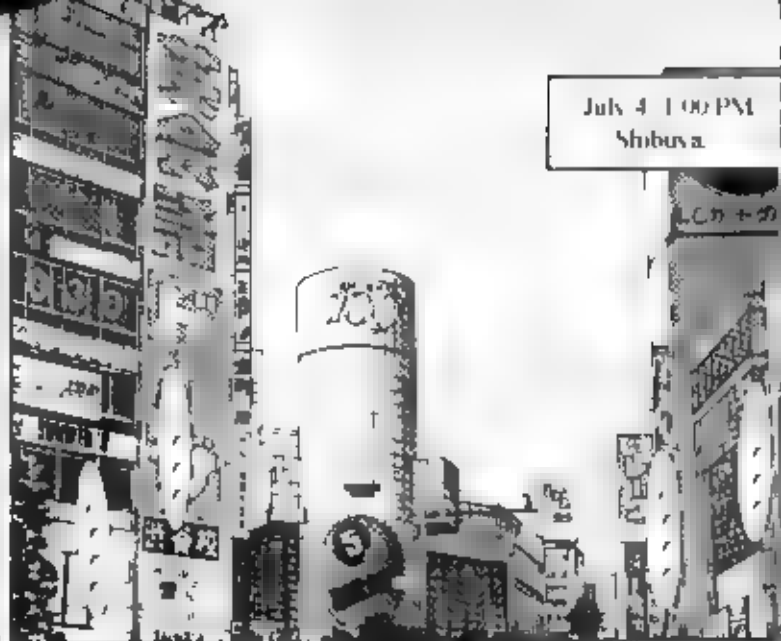
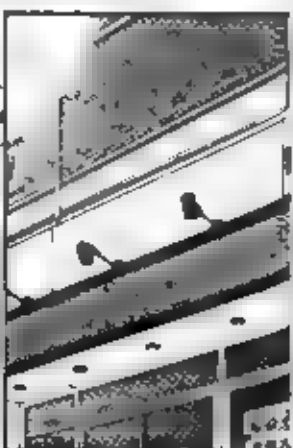
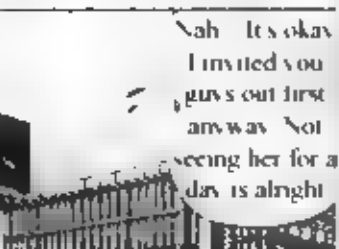
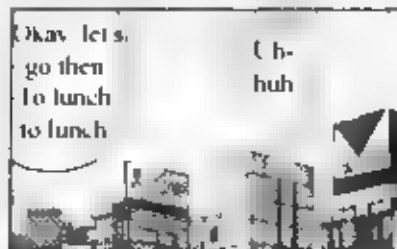


PART 10

An Accursed Celphone?



SALAD DAYS



July 4 1:00 PM
Shibuya





It's
a
bit
hard

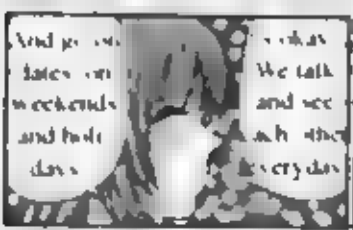
I do feel a
little lone-
ly without
you at school
there

It's
just
that

It's pres-
sures
the class-
es are
pleasant

It's
not a hard
high
school

So
now is
it at
school
right?



And you
dates on
weekends
and holidays

Yes, yes
We talk
and see
each other
every day



But it's all
my fault for
not taking
the exams for
I took high



Ah



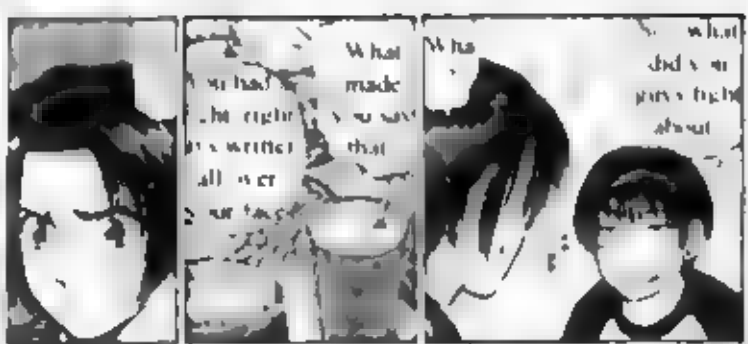
I do
the
all

That's
right
this
Sunday



ah
he day
after
tomorrow

ah Tak is a
kun what
time do you
want to meet
in the day
after tomorrow



What
made
you say
that

What

What
did you
guys fight
about



she seemed
happy enough
when we first
met after a
semester

I don't
even know
why Tak is
chan got so
angry all of
a sudden



ah Tak is
a kun
You came
to fetch
me?

Yes
Let's
walk
home to-
gether



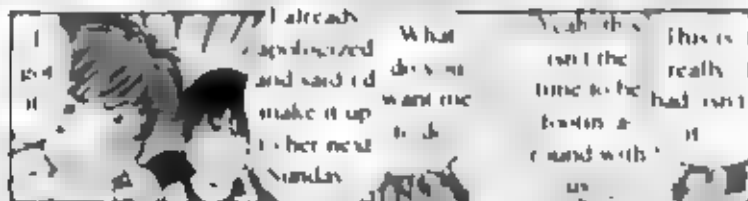
Tak
is a
kun



That's it

I hate you

Itaka



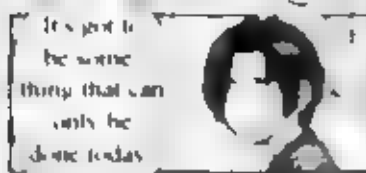
I told it

I already apologized and said I'd make it up to her next Sunday

What do you want me to do

Yeah, this isn't the time to be looking around with us

This is really had isn't it



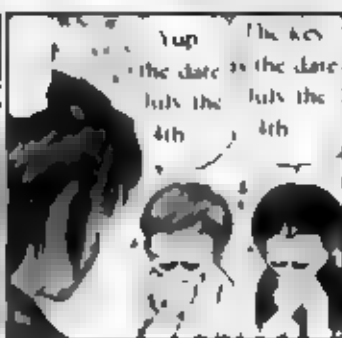
It's got to be some thing that can only be done today



Guilty



Ahah July the 4th is



Yup the date July the 4th

The key is the date July the 4th



I don't tell more to no one don't mention her



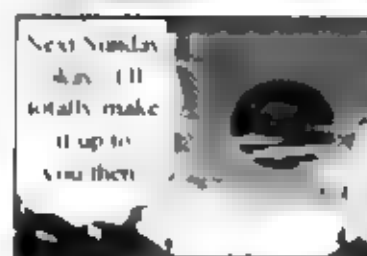
It's terrible

What

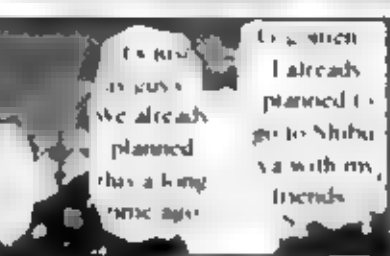


I don't can some thing with you in that way

This Sunday

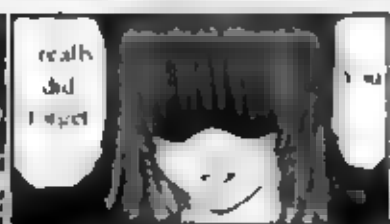


Next Sunday day I'll totally make it up to you then



It's just as usual we already planned this a long time ago

As a when I already planned to go to Shibuya with my friends



really did I forget

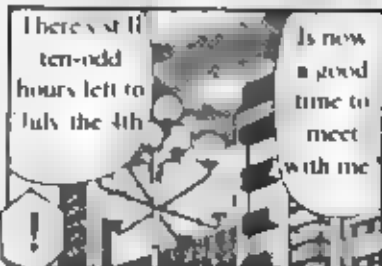
You



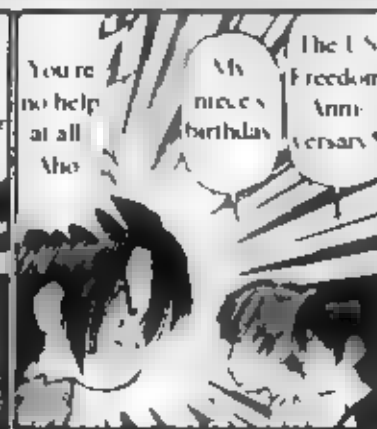
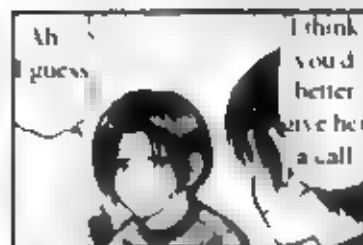
or him

h

SALAD DAYS



*Editor's note: aka US Independence Day
There's a reason why I chose different wording



I can
say it
so I
really
mean
it.



I
don't
want
to be
in love
any-
more.



Go
on
hell

I
hate
you

Go
on
hell

Go
on
hell

After School



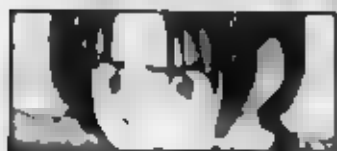
I can
say it
so I
really
mean
it.

I
don't
want
to be
in love
any-
more.



I
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want
to be
in love
any-
more.

I
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to be
in love
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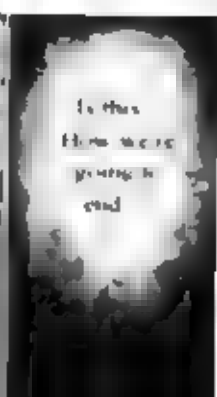


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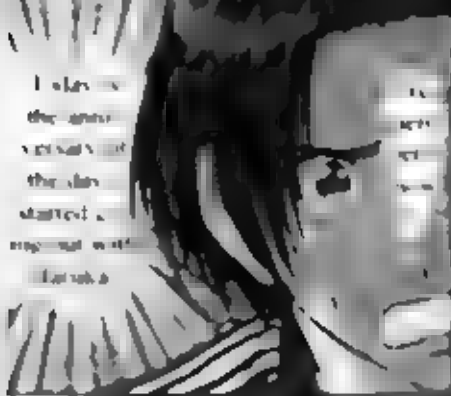


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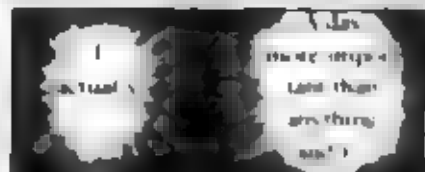


I have
the same
version of
the day
started a
moment with
Larsha



Time
will
pass

Time
will
pass



I
actual

I have
those things
that I don't
want to
lose



Time
will
pass

Time
will
pass



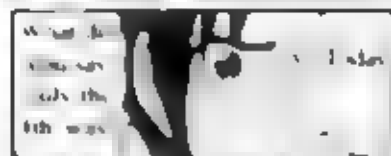
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Time
will
pass



One
year

!!?



Time
will
pass



Time
will
pass

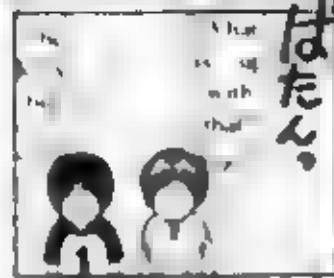


Time
will
pass

Time
will
pass

Time
will
pass

Time
will
pass



Time
will
pass

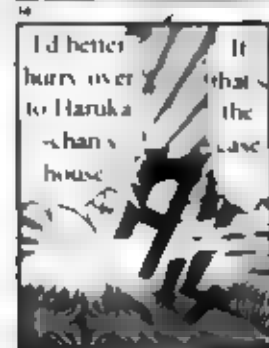
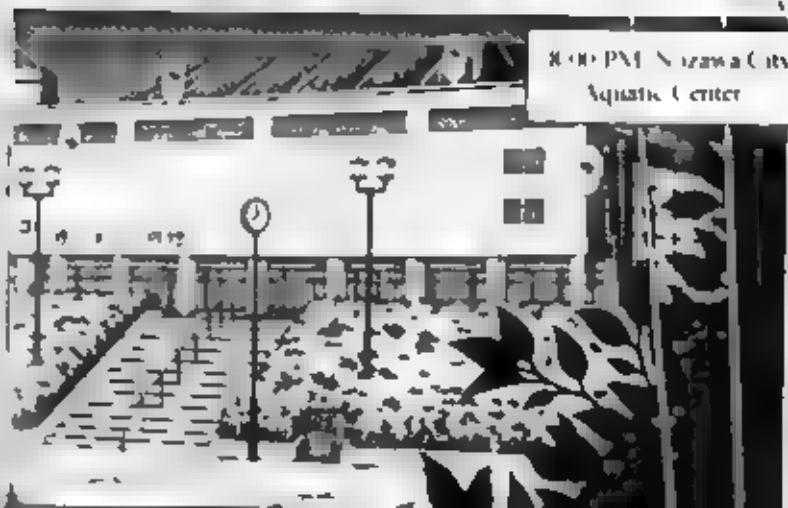
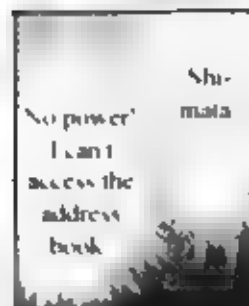
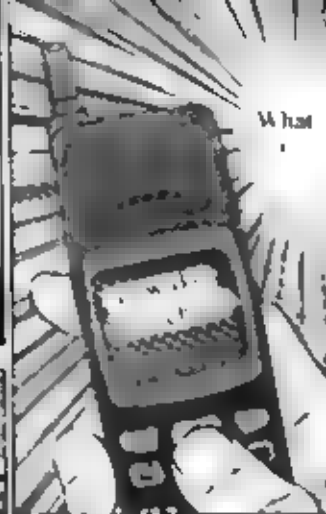
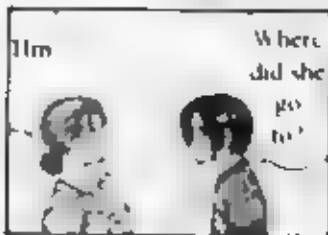
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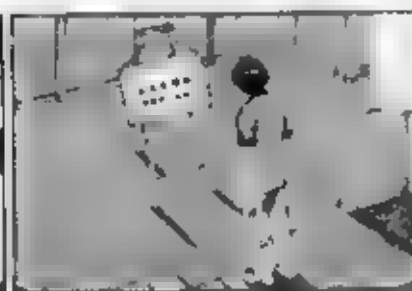
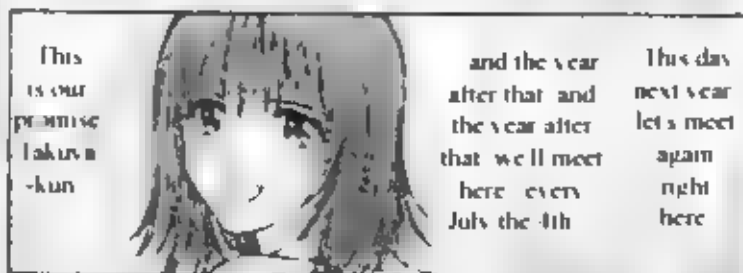


Time
will
pass

Time
will
pass



SALAD DAYS



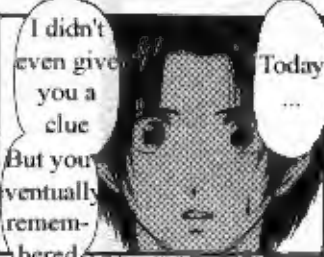


...next year,
promise me
you'll make
it in time
for us to
watch the
fishes?



'coz
you're
here
now

You
don't
need to
apolo-
gize...



I didn't
even give
you a
clue
But you
eventually
remem-
bered

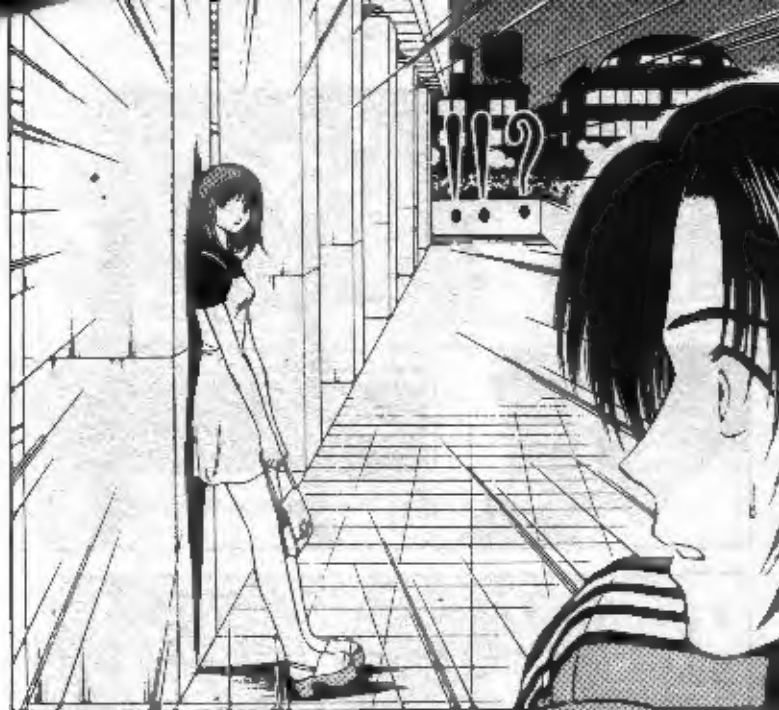
Today
...



So you
don't
need to
apolo-
gize...



But
...



Ha-
ruka
chan



Na-
ni?

Go-
men-
nasai
...



...
okay
...

I already
told you...
You don't
need to
apologize

I'm
so
sorry

It's impor-
tant not to for-
get this special
day because we
have been toge-
ther for so long.
I wish we'd do
this forever



...
yeah
...

From now
on... I'd
like for us
to continue
to be toge-
ther... Is
that okay
Takuya-kun?

—SALAD DAYS 完—

下集待续



PROFILE

猪熊 忍

INOKUMA Shinobu

Salad Days has reached Vol. 6!
I had a fun time drawing the cover.
The theme this time is 'Summer'
And summer is synonymous with
bathing suits! (laughs)
'Futaba's breasts seemed to have
been drawn fuller than it should be!'
I wonder if you noticed that... well,
the reason is... you know... well, just
read about her story and maybe you'll
understand ^ ^
Oh, maybe now is a good time to
report something to you guys.
I'm married!
Yeah, earlier than any of my characters.
Well, I feel bad for them, hahaha!
Not to worry, I'll still continue to
write more Salad Days.
Yoroshuku onegai shimasu!



我所迷戀 的主角

MY FAVORITE GIRLS

SALAD DAYS

The one I present this time,
is well known as a spirited actress.
In other words, the star everyone
knows as Audrey Hepburn.
Speaking of her... um, maybe I'll
get to that later (bitter laugh)
Just look at 'Roman Holiday', 'My Fair
Lady', 'Breakfast at Tiffany's' and others.
You take out the element of 'love story'
out of her character, and you won't
be able to understand her.
It saddens me though,
that she passed away in 1993.
She always kept her girlish charm.
She really was a great actress then, now,
and ever will be, in my heart at least.
And nothing will change that.